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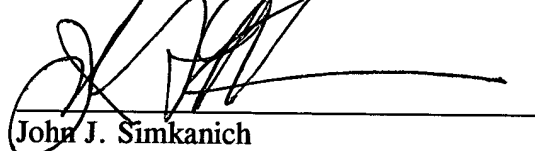
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Applicants request consideration of the following information disclosure statement, pursuant to 37 CFR 1.97(b). No first Office Action has been received. Submitted herewith is a PTO Form 1449. Also submitted are copies of:

1. International Search Report (hereinafter "ISR"), dated 13 November 2000, (in English).
2. EP 0 737 706 A (Chisso Corp), ISR relevancy category "X". Also enclosed is ISR reported family patent member: US 5,866,648.
3. EP 0 55 950 A (Enichem Spa), ISR relevancy category "X". Also enclosed is ISR reported family patent member: US 5,362,431.
4. Japan patent number JP 63289034, dated 25 November 1988, no English publication patent family member is known. An English translation of the Abstract, being provided by the Japan Patent Office, is attached. ISR relevancy category "X". "Database WPI" Derwent Publication, AN 1989-012434, XP002152685.

5. WO 99 65661 A (Hoechst Celanese Corp) 23 December 1999, ISR relevancy category "P" and "X". English abstract enclosed. Related patent family member US 6,090,319 enclosed.
6. WO 99 60049 (General Electric) 25 November 1999, ISR relevancy category "P" and "X". English abstract enclosed. Related patent family member US 6,221,951 B1 enclosed.
7. US Pat. No. 5,789,477.

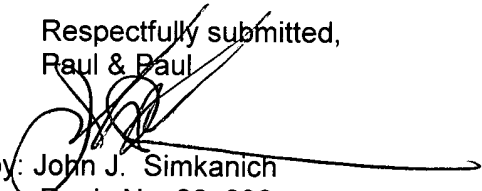
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Where relevancy category is known for any document, it is stated above. Those documents in a foreign language, which have a known English language patent family member publication, are accompanied by that English language family member publication. Those documents only available in a foreign language and having an English abstract have been provided with same. Those documents known only to be available in a foreign language have been provided in that language, accompanied with the drawings of the disclosure as available.

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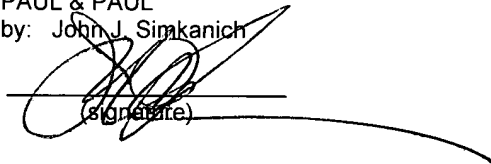
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U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS							
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		5,362,431	11/1994	Guerrini et al.			
		5,789,447	08/1998	Nosker et al.			
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		6,090,319	07/2000	Sharma et al.			
		6,221,951	04/2001	de Wit et al.			

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS								
REF	DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUBCLASS	Translation		
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	WO 99/65661	12/1999	EPO					
	EP 0 737 706 A	10/1996	EPO					
	EP 0 55 950 A	08/1993	EPO					
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OTHER DOCUMENTS <small>(Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)</small>	
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